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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The postoffice at Elizabeth City, N. C., was robbed Sunday night by burglars. — Advices from Apia say that both native factions are surrendering their arms. — Admiral Dewey will sail to-day on the Olympia for home. — Troops sent to Manchester, Ky., to guard the court house during the Baker murder trial, are camped near the building; the Bakers and other factions, well armed, are camped near by. — A French cruiser has been ordered from Martinique to take Dreyfus from his prison to France. — The Superior Court of South Carolina renders an important decision affecting the dispensary law. — Mrs. R. H. Hubbard shot and killed by two negroes in Bibb county, Ala.; a posse is in pursuit and another Sam Hose lynching is threatened. — Two attempts made to assault Mrs. David Ward, at her home near Girard, Ga., by a negro, were frustrated by the woman firing a pistol at the negro; a posse is in pursuit of the man. — A young white married woman living near Baxley, Georgia, was assaulted by a negro; he was captured and is now in jail. — New York markets: Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent., last loan being at 2 per cent.; cotton steady; middling uplands 6¼c.; flour quiet and steady; wheat—spot weak; No. 2 red 84¼c.; corn—spot easy; No. 2, 41¼c.; rosin steady; spirits turpentine barely steady at 39½@39¾c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 5.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, T.; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, 1.44.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 7.6 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Light and scattered showers have occurred during the past twenty four hours in the eastern districts and on the West Gulf coast. The temperature changes have been slight.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday, with showers in western portions in the afternoon; probably showers Wednesday; light southeasterly winds.

Port Almanac--June 6.

Sun Rises	4.46 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.11 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 25 M.
High Water at Southport	6.46 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington	10.16 P. M.

A perfumery trust is one of the latest. On the scent for spoils.

Belgium has again opened her ports to our beef and the American steer can steer right in.

With the prospective increase of railways in China, John will have to get a move on him to keep up with the procession.

The members of the Missouri Legislature get only a dollar a day, but then they have lots of fun jabbing trusts, etc.

The New Jersey Supreme Court has decided in favor of a trust. Of course, New Jersey can be trusted to stand by her brood.

A Cincinnati justice dispenser sent a man to the lock-up for ten days for stealing an eight day clock and took the clock away from him too.

An exchange remarks that the French automobiles that have been tested beat ours all hollow, but so do the French roads beat our roads all hollow.

It takes a half a day to unreel one of China's national hymns. It takes about half a day to do anything in China. But what use has China for national hymns?

One of the West Virginia coal mining companies has contracted for 3,000 tons of coal a week for five years, to be delivered in barges on the Kanawha river. This will make an aggregate of 780,000 tons, a large sized pile of coal.

In the oil fields of Ohio, some of the companies are substituting glass piping for iron piping to convey oil to the place of delivery. These pipes are made also for carrying water, gas, sewage, etc., and are said to be superior to metallic pipes as they do not corrode.

A German explorer in Africa says a lion has more respect for an umbrella than for anything you could poke at him, and will trot away from it instantly. But if an umbrella is as hard to keep the run of in that country as it is in this, about the time you would want it most is the time you couldn't find it.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The Mayor disposed of several cases of disorderly conduct at yesterday's session of the City Court.

— Note change in Carolina Beach and Southport schedule. It is getting better and better. Capt. Harper now gives five trips a day to the beach and return.

— Lots of people went to the beaches Sunday. Capt. Edgar Hinton says the divided car works beautifully. White and colored people alike are pleased with the change.

— An excursion to Carolina Beach by Grace M. E. Sunday School is announced for next Friday, June 9th. The steamer *Wilmington* will make two excursion trips—one at 9.15 A. M. and the other at 2.30 P. M.

— Constable William Sheehan had an exciting chase after three negroes on the turnpike Sunday afternoon. He saw them in the act of shooting pistols. He was on his wheel and started at once in pursuit, failing however to make an arrest.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Criminal Court—Jury notice.
Wrightsville—Seashore Hotel.
Notice—Prof. Neilsen's Remedies.
J. W. Harper—Carolina Beach and Southport schedule.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. George Bass, of Dunn, is in the city on business.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holland, of Dunn, are in the city visiting friends.

— Miss Posie Bacot, of Charleston, is here on a visit to Mrs. Gabriel Holmes.

— Mr. W. H. Pope, of the firm of Murchison & Pope, Fayetteville, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

— Mr. H. C. Moffitt, of Whiteville, clerk of the court for Columbus County, is in the city attending court.

— Mr. W. H. Sprunt, a member of the Board of Trustees of Davidson College, left for that place yesterday afternoon to attend the annual meeting.

— J. B. Schwartz, of the U. S. Hospital Corps, was here Sunday going to Fort Caswell, having been transferred from Washington barracks, Washington, D. C.

THE ST. ANDREW'S REVIVAL.

Services Sunday and Yesterday Afternoon—Announcements for the Week.

The meetings at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church have begun in earnest and are full of power. The people are being aroused. Mr. Pool sings sweetly and with power. His solo Sabbath evening "Pass It On" is one of Mr. Black's favorites and was well sung by Mr. Pool, who directs the singing as a master. Rev. Mr. Black preached Sabbath morning on Revivals—from Psalm 85:6. It was a plain and powerful presentation of the nature and need of a revival and has aroused and thrilled the congregation. He showed that Christian church members needed to be revived that sinners might be saved. At night he preached on "Service for the Master," and yesterday morning he urged "The call to be aroused to speak for Christ." These services will be continued each day at ten A. M. for one hour especially for Christians and at 8 P. M. for all, but especially the unconverted. It is hoped that the services will be well attended.

Last night there was a good congregation and deep interest. Mr. Black preached from Galatians, 6 7. He showed in how many ways we can deceive and how easily, and that "God is not mocked," for "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." Mr. Pool sang a soul-stirring song, "Building for Eternity."

Magistrates' Courts.

In Justice McGowan's court yesterday Emma Hutchins, colored, for assault and battery with deadly weapon, was bound over to Criminal Court. Dora Moore and Ed Smith were found guilty of assault and battery and disorderly conduct, but judgment was suspended on the payment of costs.

Justice Fowler tried John P. Sampson, colored, for carrying concealed weapons. Defendant was found guilty and held under bond for his appearance at this term of the Criminal Court. Randall Craig and W. H. Styron, Jr., both white, were adjudged guilty of disorderly conduct. Judgment was suspended on payment of costs. Adolphus Dosher, colored, was tried for damage to real estate. Judgment suspended on his promise to repair the damage.

Married Sunday Afternoon.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated Sunday afternoon at 6.30 o'clock, when Mrs. Jennie E. Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Williams, became the bride of Mr. T. C. Coleman, one of the STAR'S compositors. Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, officiated, and the ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's parents, 305 Grace street. Mr. Coleman's fellow craftsmen and his numerous other friends, with those of his wife, wish them all happiness in their married life.

Read the adv. of The C. W. Polvogt Co. They offer bargains in Table Linens. †

New Mattings, 10c to 35c, just opened at The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.

Various Matters Considered at the Meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

THE SANITARY COMMITTEE.

Reports and Recommendations—Street Improvements — Fire Department. License Taxes—Light Contract. The Street Car Line.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held yesterday at 11 A. M. Present, Mayor Waddell, City Attorney Iredell Meares, City Clerk and Treasurer B. F. King, and Aldermen McRae, Taylor, Montgomery, West, Worth, Spencer, Hanby, Woolard, Parker, and Springer.

On motion of Alderman Taylor, Drs. Geo. G. Thomas and F. H. Russell, were re-elected members of the Board of Health. The other members, Mayor Waddell, City Surveyor McRae, and Health Superintendent W. D. McMillan hold their places ex-officio and did not require re election.

On motion of Alderman Springer the police force was allowed the usual summer vacation of one week each.

The Mayor stated that he had been waited upon by a delegation of barbers in regard to the barbers' license tax. He said the impression prevailed that the "boss" barber was exempted from the payment of the tax. Clerk King said all had been exempted previously. A discussion arose upon the wisdom of excusing barbers who run only one chair, shoemakers, and others whose business amounts to little more than a laboring man's daily work, from a license tax. The Board seemed unfavorable though no action was taken.

Reports of committees were next taken up. Alderman Worth read the following ordinance.

"Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington that the sale to Messrs. E. H. Rollins & Sons of the $150,000 of four per cent. bonds of the city, to be dated 1st of July, 1899, and issued under the act ratified 28th of February, 1899, to refund a like amount of bonds of the city which mature on the first of January, 1812, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed. The said bonds and interest coupons shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of the present weight and fineness at the office of the U. S. Mortgage and Trust Company in the city of New York." Adopted.

For the Committee on Markets, Alderman West stated that the request to close markets at 12 o'clock M. was unfavorably reported upon. Alderman Montgomery called attention to the terrible condition of the market house.

Alderman Hanby reported for the Public Buildings Committee that repairs had been made to the roofs of some of the engine houses. He also said that plans and bids for the erection of city pest houses had been submitted to him. After discussion by Aldermen Hanby, Taylor, Parker and others, it was moved to authorize the committee to close a contract with the lowest responsible bidder at a sum not to exceed the appropriation of $1,000.

In his report for the Sanitary Committee, Alderman MacRae called attention to several important matters. He stated that the Board of Health thought that the sanitary carts ought to be more or less under the supervision of the superintendent of health; and he added that the use of a furnace would decrease the number of carts. He also called attention to the uncertainty which prevailed as to whose duty it was to remove shavings and other trash from new buildings and the branches cut from the trees by the telephone and telegraph companies. At this juncture, on motion of Alderman Taylor, the Mayor was instructed to prosecute telephone and telegraph companies for the mutilation of trees.

Next, Alderman MacRae described the conflict of authority which arose in the work of repairing choked sewers. In brief, the situation is that it is against the health ordinances to remove the soil, and the sewers cannot be repaired without breaking the soil. It was decided that results from the disturbance of the soil would be less dangerous than from leaving the sewers choked. A motion was made instructing the superintendent of health, accordingly, the understanding, of course, being that all practicable precautions should be taken. In his report Alderman MacRae pointed out the need of a sewerage system.

For the Streets and Wharves Committee Alderman MacRae reported a delay in getting phosphate rock, due to the refusal of the superintendent of the penitentiary to send hands to get the rock out. He also thought that the ordinance regarding the removal of soil would interfere with the improvement of the streets. After discussion it was decided, on motion of Aldermen Taylor, to instruct the Streets and Wharves Committee, before doing further work on the streets, to confer with the Board of Health.

Alderman Taylor reported for the Fire Committee and made a motion providing a per diem of 5 cents to be paid the members of the fire department for the purchase of suits. Previously the firemen have had to pay for their own suits. Alderman Taylor also presented a request from Chief Schnibben of the fire department that he be allowed the sum of $150, amount paid for his horse and buggy. The ground of the request was that the chief had given up his business and was devoting his whole time to fire department work without additional remuneration. Action was postponed. Alderman Taylor reported further that he was trying to get necessary wagons for $300.

When the report of the Ordinance Committee was called for, an ordinance regarding license taxes and providing penalties for failure to comply with its requirements was read and adopted.

Alderman Springer, chairman of the Light Committee, stated that the lighting contract was ready for approval. It was read by the clerk and adopted. In it the Wilmington Street Railway Company agree to furnish seventy-five arc lights of 2,000 candle power each in their present locations at $3.75 per month on a moonlight schedule.

On motion of Alderman Worth the compensation for the city tax lister was provided, the same not to exceed that paid last year's tax lister.

On motion the dog tax was fixed at $1 for males and $2 for females.

Street Car Line from C. C. Depot.

The clerk read a request from the Wilmington Street Railway Company for the privilege of building a street car line from the Carolina Central depot up Brunswick street to Fourth. General Manager Skelding requested that the board take immediate action, as the Summer travel, for the convenience of which the new branch is intended, is already on. On motion the matter was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee, with power to act.

The city clerk and treasurer was instructed to have himself appointed a notary public so as to be competent to administer the oath required of parties wishing to take out license under the tax ordinance. The city attorney was instructed to prepare a proper oath, the one now existing being incomplete.

The appointment of T. H. Gillican as cattle driver, as made by Mayor Waddell, was confirmed.

Petition of John Moore, fireman, for payment of his expenses during an illness resulting from injuries received in the *Record* fire, Nov. 10th, 1898, was referred to the Finance Committee.

It was decided to hold the regular monthly meeting at 3:30 P. M. during the Summer months.

An ordinance providing for the taxation of opticians and spectacle venders was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. M. O'Brien appeared before the board and made complaint that Red Cross street from Nutt to the river was being closed up. He said he intended to do business that would require him to enter that dock. His complaint was discussed at some length, and it was finally moved that the mayor be instructed to see to it that Red Cross street from Nutt to the river was not unnecessarily obstructed. An adjournment was then taken.

DEATH OF MR. T. B. BURNETT.

At One Time a Familiar Figure On the Streets of Wilmington.

Mr. Thomas B. Burnett, the well known old fisherman and hunter, died at his home, Eighth and Dawson streets, last Saturday night, at the age of 76 years. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the residence and was conducted by Rev. J. W. Harvey. Yesterday morning the remains were taken to Middle Sound for interment.

Mr. Burnett was until the last year or two a very familiar figure on the streets of Wilmington. He fished and hunted for the market and his fish and game were always very much in demand. A few years ago he brought suit against the Wilmington, Newbern and Norfolk Railroad Company for damages for injuries claimed to have been sustained while riding on one of the trains of that company. He finally won the suit and after the payment of lawyers' fees and other expenses had about $1,200 left.

CREECH IDENTIFIED.

By An Acquaintance of His From Florence, South Carolina.

Creech, the negro held by the authorities on suspicion of his being the murderer of a colored waman in Florence, was transferred to the county jail yesterday for safe keeping. This was because of additional and very convincing reasons for believing that he is the guilty party. Yesterday Carolina Jones, a colored painter of Florence, who is well acquainted with the murderer of the woman, came over from Florence by order of the sheriff of Florence county to identify the prisoner. He was taken by Janitor Benson to the guard house at once and promptly identified the man. The prisoner will be kept here until the proper requisition papers have been prepared and presented.

Election of Officers.

Stonewall Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, elected officers last night as follows:

M. of W.—J. R. Hanby.
C. C.—J. D. Kelley.
V. C.—J. O. Wiggs.
P.—B. H. Scott.
M. at A.—W. S. Wishart.
I. G.—A. W. Allen.
O. G.—J. M. Holmes.

These officers will be installed the first meeting night in July.

On account of Elon College Commencement, Elon College, N. C., June 9th to 15th, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to Elon College at $6.75 for the round trip. Tickets on sale June 5th to 10th, inclusive, with final limit June 16th, 1889.

White Piques just received at The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

Four Leaf Clover Towel, extra size, only 10c, this week, at The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

THE NEW HANOVER CRIMINAL COURT.

Very Satisfactory Progress Made Yesterday in the Disposition of the Docket. Cases of Interest.

Considerable routine business was transacted yesterday in the New Hanover Criminal Court, which was convened yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock by Judge Dossey Battle.

The most notable cases disposed of were those against J. T. Howard for abandoning and failing to provide for his wife and against the same defendant and Ida Terry, wife of W. R. Terry, for unlawfully living together. The jury returned verdicts of guilty in both charges and Judge Battle will pronounce sentence against both Howard and Mrs. Terry to-day. The scandalous incidents leading up the arrest and conviction of the defendants are familiar to STAR readers. It will be of interest to note that during the trial yesterday four little children of Mrs. Howard, the abandoned wife, the youngest of whom is about six months old, were with her in the court room during much of the time, as were the three children of Mrs. Terry. The youngest of the latter's children is only a few months old.

Other cases were disposed of as follows:

Armond Bryant, colored, abandonment; submitted; judgment suspended.

Ed. Graham, colored, assault and battery, with deadly weapon; submitted; judgment suspended.

Burt Green, colored, assault and battery with a deadly weapon; guilty; three months in the county jail, with permission for the commissioners to work him on the county roads.

John Stewart and Phelanda Hill, both colored, larceny, guilty; each given 12 months in the penitentiary.

John G. Potter, assault and battery with deadly weapon and carrying concealed weapon; submitted; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Chase. Anderson, colored, carrying concealad weapon, guilty; 12 months in the county jail with permission to be worked on the county reads.

Iredell Loftin, colored, assault and battery with deadly weapon, guilty; four months work on the county roads.

Earnest Berry, colored, assault and battery with deadly weapon, not guilty.

As previously announced, the grand jury of the March term is serving again. The following petit jurymen were sworn in yesterday for the week: Mike Carroll, C. W. Bishop, G. W. Smith, W. H. Hardy, E. P. Boatwright, Stephen Keyes, L. C. Craig, Alex. H. Leslie, R. F. Rowan, Sam'l Bordeaux, E. H. Moore, Samuel Hall, Woody Howell, B. M. Lehew, B. F. Boykin and W. G. Herring.

Court took a recess about 6:30 o'clock until 9:30 A. M. to-day.

Federal Courts To-day.

Yesterday people arrived here from all parts of the eastern district to attend the United States Circuit and District Courts which will be convened this morning at 10.30 o'clock by Judge T. R. Purnell and Judge Nathan Goff. It is estimated that nearly 300 passengers came in on the Carolina Central alone. The Coast Line trains also brought in large numbers of witnesses, defendants and others interested in the business of the courts. Most of the court officers are already here and the others will arrive on the morning trains to-day.

Among the attorneys here to attend the court are Walter H. Neal, W. H. Cox and F. L. Blue, Esqs., of Laurinburg, Claudius Dockery, Esq., of Rockingham, H. L. Stevens, of Warsaw, and John D. Shaw, Esq., of Laurinburg. Judge Purnell and a number of the court officers and attorneys spent last night on Wrightsville Beach.

Kings Daughters and Sons.

The delegates to the State Convention of the King's Daughters and Sons at Southern Pines, returned yesterday. They were Mrs. R. N. Sweet, secretary of the convention Miss Anna Savage, delegate from the Hospital Circuit; Mrs. M. S. Willard, chairman of the Executive Committee; Miss Kate DeRosset, delegate from the Ministering Circle; Miss Maggie Wiggs, delegate, from the Wilmington Union.

To-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock there will be a meeting of the Wilmington Union to hear reports from the convention. All who are interested will be welcome.

Carolina Club Opening.

At a meeting of the Governing Board of the Carolina Yacht Club, held last night, it was decided to have their opening on Friday night of this week.

Sedgeley Hall Club, Atlantic Yacht Club and Hanover Seaside Club members are invited to attend. Mr. John K. Williams is chairman of the entertainment committee, by whom the arrangements are being made for a delightful frolic.

Plans are also being formulated for a big celebration, including yacht races, on July Fourth.

Voluntary Bankruptcy.

Mr. John Taylor filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the United States District Court at 9.30 A. M. yesterday. The assets are nominally nothing; liabilities, $10,651.18. The case was referred to Referee S. H. MacRae, of Fayetteville, and will come up for a hearing at Fayetteville next Friday. John H. Gore, Jr., is counsel for Mr. Taylor.

Table Damask Bleached 45c and upwards; special prices this week on all Table Linens at The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

Linen sale this week at the store of The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

THE 1899 TAX LEVY.

Fixed by the County Commissioners at 25 Cents On the $100 Valuation.

PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENT

Road Tax Levy Made and Road Machinery Soon to be Purchased — Routine Work by the Board—An Important Meeting To-day.

The New Hanover County Commissioners were in session for about three hours yesterday afternoon and will assemble in adjourned session at 4:30 P. M., to-day to complete the business requiring attention at this the June meeting of the Board. Chairman Roger Moore and Commissioners Holmes, McEachern, Alexander and Barry (a full board) were in attendance yesterday. Register of Deeds, Biddle acting as clerk.

Public Road Improvements.

After calling the Board to order at 2:30 o'clock the final half hour was devoted to the examination of catalogues and illustrations of road machinery, particularly those of rock crushers made by the American Road Machinery Co. Mr. Scott, of that company, was present and addressed the Board, explaining a proposition which the company has made to furnish the county with a No. 4 crusher for the purpose of preparing macadam to be used in the road improvements soon to be inaugurated in this county. The crusher and equipment which the Board contemplates purchasing will cost between $1,500 and $2,000.

Definite action in regard to this purchase was deferred and may be taken this afternoon, when other matters pertaining to putting into effect the various provisions of the new road law enacted by the recent Legislature will be considered.

The Tax Levy.

The business most probably of the greatest interest to the general public was the adoption of a general tax levy for 1899, the Board being required to make a levy at the regular June meeting of each year.

The Finance Committee had previously estimated the amount of money which will be required to meet the current expenses and provide the various special funds and they recommended, through Col. Roger Moore, the following levy, which, after protracted discussion and investigation, was adopted:

General expenses, 33¾ cents on the $100 valuation; military, ¾ of a cent on the $100 valuation; roads and bridges, 10 cents on the $100 valuation (this is in compliance with the provisions of the new road law); bonded debt, 3½ cents on the $100 valuation; hospital, 4 cents on the $100 valuation; poll tax, $1.56. Total levy, 52 cents on the $100 valuation.

The State levy is 43 cents, which with the levy stated above makes 95 cents taxes to be levied upon the $100 valuation in the county. The State poll tax is $1.29, so that the total poll tax will be $2.85.

The motion to adopt the above levy was made by Commissioner McEachern, seconded by Commissioner Holmes. Objection was made to the levy by Commissioner Alexander on the ground that the increased valuation of property being made by the assessors would provide additional revenue, so that the levy could be made lower.

Chairman Moore held a conference with Mr. T. O. Bunting, of the Board of assessors, who informed him that the completion of the new property tax valuations would be completed to-day when the exact increase of valuation could be ascertained. Every member of the Board emphasized the statement that they were anxious to make the levy just as low as is consistent with good business judgment in running the affairs of the county.

In view of the fact that it is required by Statute that the levy be made at the first meeting in June of each year, the Board voted that the levy recommended by the Finance Committee be adopted with the understanding that in case the increased valuation was sufficient to warrant it a general reduction would be made in the property valuation.

Miscellaneous Business.

Dr. W. D. McMillan, as county superintendent, of health, reported 116 pauper patients treated in his office and 99 visits made to 74 patients at their homes. The jail he reported to be in the best condition he has ever seen it, and the county home well kept.

The Board ordered that in future Dr. McMillan make a personal examination of all applicants for aid on account of physical disability, before he approves recommendations made by practitioners.

J. M. Martin was allowed to transfer his license to sell spirituous liquors from No. 106 North Water street to Ocean View Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach, and a license was issued for a bar in Seashore Hotel on the same beach.

I. P. Quince was granted permission to have W. M. Hansley survey a tract of land in Cape Fear township adjoining the lands of J. D. Hines, A. J. Grady and others.

The matter of allowing F. D. Capps $30 for service as registrar for the recent "Good Roads" election, was considered and action deferred. It is claimed that the registration book was not kept open as prescribed by law.

Pest House Committee Report.

Col. Moore reported that he and Commissioner Borry had gone out with the city Superintendent of Health and the Sanitary Committee of the Board of Aldermen and located the site for the proposed pest house to be erected by the city. They selected four acres of the old "Fair Ground" on the County Home tract.

Report of Officers.

Register of Deeds Biddle, reported $19 paid the treasurer as the county's share of the proceeds from the sale of marriage licensei. Col. Jno. D. Taylor, as Clerk of the Superior Court, reported the following receipts in his office. For school tax, $50; incorporation fee from Delgado Cotton Mill, $35; an incorporation fee from Silver Stream Distilling Do., 25, Jury tax $3.00. Total, $55.

At the meeting to-day action is to be taken regarding a petition by property owners in that section, that the road from Wrightsville Sound to Burgaw, a distance of seven miles, be made a public road and kept in order at the county's expense. Heretofore it has been maintained by the propert yowners. It is now in a very bad condition.

The Complimentary German.

Last night in Germania Hall Miss Cammie Lord gave a delightful german complimentary to the members of her evening dancing class. The occasion was the close of Miss Lord's school for the season. More than a score of couples participated and there were quite a number of stags. Many very pretty figures were led by various members of the school, hearty applause having been accorded the leaders of a number of figures by the delighted spectators, of whom there was quite a company.

Miss Lord's school has been quite successful and as previously announced, she will conduct a Summer school at Southport, re-opening the school in this city next Fall.

Funeral Sunday Afternoon.

The funeral of Carl Herbert Mayland, the little son of Mr. John Mayland, took place at 5.30 P. M. Sunday, from the residence, 108 South Seventh street. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. G. Voigt, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and a suitable programme of hymns was rendered. The interment was made at Bellevue.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

M. E. Church, South, Wilmington District.

Magnolia, Providence, June 10-11.
Burgaw, Herring's Chapel, June 17-18.
Southport, (District Conference), June 21-25.
Bladen Circuit, French's Creek, June 30.
Carver's Creek, Hebron, July 1-2.
Brunswick, Shallotte, July 8-9.
Waccamaw, Zion, July 15-16.
Whiteville, Fair Bluff, July 18.
Wilmington, Grace, July 23-24.
Elizabeth, Bladen Springs, July 29-30.
Scott's Hill, Acorn Branch, August 6-7.
Jacksonville and Richlands, Jacksonville, August 12-13.
Onslow, Queen's Creek, August 15.
Kenansville, Warsaw, August 19-20.
Clinton, Goshen, August 22.

R. F. BUMPASS, Presiding Elder.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JURY NOTICE.

The Jury summoned for the second week of the Criminal Court will not be required to attend. They are discharged.

By order of Dossey Battle, Judge,
W. R. FRENCH, Clerk.
June 5th. je 6 2t

The Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association

will hold its Thirteenth Annual Meeting in the City Court room, June 6th, 8.30 P. M. All stockholders are hereby notified to be present, or have their shares represented by proxy.

C. C. BROWN,
Secretary and Treasurer.
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Prof. A. C. Neilsen, of Wilmington, N. C., manufacturer of the Kel Oil Liniment, has been here and has effected many a cure and has relieved many suffering persons. I suffered 12 years from female diseases. Also, my daughter was suffering from similar diseases. We tried several doctors and other remedies, but found no relief until we tried Prof. Neilsen's Female Cure. In one week's time we were clear of all suffering and pains.

We would advise all women to use Prof. Neilsen's Female Cure and Kel Oil Liniment, as it is a sure cure and just what it is represented to be. Mrs. J. A. SMITH,
wife of J. A. Smith.
Miss R. A. SMITH.

P. S.—Sold only by W. I. Wright, in Sampson county.

This is to certify that I have known the persons mentioned above, and consider them reliable persons. C. H. JOHNSON.

Prof. Nielsen's address is 515 South Eighth St.
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my 14 tf Nutt St. A. C. Line Crossing.

Carolina Beach and Southport Schedule.

ON AND AFTER JUNE 6TH, BOAT LEAVES FOR CAROLINA BEACH,

6 and 9.15 A. M., 3, 5.15 and 7.30 P. M. Train leaves Beach, 7 A. M.; 1, 3.45, 5 and 8.30 P. M.

No 7.30 P. M. boat from Wilmington and no 8.30 P. M. boat from Beach on Mondays

Fare to pier and return on 5.15 and 7.30 P. M. boats, 15c.

Leaves Sunday, 10 A. M., 2.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M. Leaves Beach, 12.30, 6 and 8.30 P. M.

FOR SOUTHPORT,

boat leaves 9.15 and 10.15 A. M., and 3 P. M. Leaves Southport, 6.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30 P. M.

Freight for Southport received only on 9.15 boat. J. W. HARPER, Manager.
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WILMINGTON SEACOAST R. R.

ON AND AFTER JUNE 1ST, 1899,

the Schedule of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6.30 A. M.	7.30 A. M.
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	10.00 P. M.
SUNDAY.	
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

Every Friday night, on account of Club dances, the 7.15 P. M. train will leave the beach at 11.00 P. M. instead of 10.00.

my 31 tf R. OSCAR GRANT, Supt.

The Necessity For Medicines

furnishes its own reminder, but we would like to suggest in passing, that when any such unfortunate need occurs there is no place in town where it can be supplied with more promptness, skill, accuracy, or with a higher class of drugs and chemicals than at our place.

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Druggist and Pharmaceutical Chemist.
my 30 tf Wilmington, N. C

At The Unlucky Corner

Springfield Hams

Cheaper than anywhere in the State

Why do you buy that doubtful

BUTTER

When you can get my Fox River Clover Hill brand for

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5000 pounds Beeswax.

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SAMUEL BEAR, Sr.,
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THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1.00 per year, 60 cents for six months, 30 cents for three months.

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Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 6, 1899.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS AND FIGURES.

Mr. J. B. Killebrew, President of the Industrial League of Tennessee, delivered an address before the convention held in Southern Pines, April 19th, which was a splendid exhibit of the industrial progress of the South. It contained some interesting facts and figures in reference to iron and coal, which show not only what the South has done in these industries, but gives some idea as to the possible achievements in the future. Speaking of the beginning and the progress of the iron manufacturing industry he thus refers to Birmingham, Ala., as one instance of marvellous progress:

"Birmingham first began to be heard of in 1870. I well remember the same old argument used then that is now so often used by Northern people—"if there is so much iron ore in such close proximity to coal, why has it not been made known, and why are there not a dozen furnaces making iron at Birmingham?" Birmingham, though not known previous to 1870, now has within its district twenty-five furnaces that made in 1898 1,033,676 tons of pig iron, which is more than England made in 1835, and more than the United States made in 1865. This iron finds a market in every State in the Union and in Canada, Mexico, Cuba, England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Russia, Spain, Italy, Austria, South Africa, India, China, Japan, Australia.

"In 1868, Maj. George T. Lewis, of Tennessee, made the statement that pig iron could be made in Tennessee at $20 per ton This statement was taken up by a committee in Congress, criticised with the greatest severity, and ridiculed without measure. It was considered disloyal to the old iron State of Pennsylvania to entertain the truth of such an assertion. Yet, gentlemen, pig iron was made in the South two years afterward at $18 per ton, and the cost now in Tennessee and Alabama is $5.70 to $7.00 per ton. Major Lewis went farther and declared in a paper about 1868, that pig iron would be made at many points in the South at a cost less than the ore to make a ton of pig iron would cost laid down at Pittsburg. Ore was then worth from $12 to $13 per ton at Pittsburg. Major Lewis' prediction was not only verified during the decade between 1870 and 1880, but pig iron manufactured in the South was actually sold in the Pittsburg market for less that $10 per ton.

"These facts were a triumphant vindication of Major Lewis' statements. He was a Pennsylvanian by birth, a Southerner by adoption, an iron master by vocation, and he had for many years been a close student of the resources of the South and of its ability to make the cheapest pig iron in America, and he did not fail to have the manliness to say so at a time when such an assertion was resented by the greatest iron masters of Pennsylvania."

There were doubtless many iron men in the North who had doubts whether iron making could be successful in the South because little iron had been made here and the experience as well as the capital were apparently wanting, but they have changed their opinions, as those have who twenty-five years ago predicted that manufacturing cotton on an extensive scale could not succeed in the South, for climatic reasons and for the scarcity of the necessary labor. The progress of both of these industries has not only surprised the people who did the predicting but exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine Southerners, few of whom had any idea they could do so well.

No doubt the following in reference to the production of pig iron and the iron resources of this section were a revelation to many of those who listened to Mr. Killebrew's address, as it will be to many of our own people who have not given much attention to this subject:

"The pig iron industry is growing with the greatest rapidity in the South. In 1898, the total production of the Southern States was 1,011,480 long tons. In 1898, the production was 2,083,726 long tons, an increase of over 105 per cent. in ten years. Nor is the end yet. The prospects are now that 2,500,000 tons will be made during the present year, which is 20 per cent. of the total output of the furnaces in the United States.

"The iron deposits of the South are numerous, extensive, and accessible, and are found in great quantity in Alabama, Tennessee, Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Texas, West Virginia, Kentucky and Arkansas. Every family of iron ores occurs: the magnetic, in the older formations of North Carolina, Georgia, Texas and Tennessee; the compact red hematite, in the Cambrian formation; the fossiliferous red hematite, in the Clinton or Dyestone group or the upper silurian; the limonites, or brown ores, in almost every formation, but principally in the Cambrian and sub-carboniferous, and, lastly, the carbonates of iron or spathites, in the carboniferous and sub-carboniferous formations. By far the most valuable of these ores is the red fossiliferous, not because it is the richest in metallic iron or freest from injurious constituents, but because it occurs in a tratified from like seams of coal in arge quantities, making it easy to mine and with a certainty as to the quantity. This valuable ore, for the most part, is found in close proximity to coal, with limestone sandwiched between them. This happy and intimate association has made the Birmingham, Alabama, and the Chattanooga, Tennessee, iron districts the most famous iron regions in the world for the making of cheap foundry iron. The cost of production is reduced to such low limits in those localities that the iron product may be sent to markets in every quarter of the globe, as already mentioned, and compete with the local production. Nor is it at all to be doubted that for the making of basic steel this ore will prove as profitable as the Lake Superior ores for the making of Bessemer steel. A large steel plant is now being erected at Birmingham, which will convert a large part of the present output of pig iron at that place into steel.

Turning to coal, so closely related to iron, for manufacturing purposes, he gave the following interesting information.

"In the fourteen Southern States there are 52,279 square miles underlaid by coal seams. Of this quantity, there are fully 47,000 square miles that have seeme of workable thickness Of the 218,000 square miles of coal measures in the United States, it is estimated that only 140,000 square miles have seams thick enough for mining. So it will appear that the Southern States, with only 22½ per cent of the entire territory of the United States, has 33½ per cent of the acreage of workable coal.

"Throughout Middle and East Tennessee, Southwest Virginia, Northern Alabama, and West Virginia, bituminous coal, the run of the mines, may be contracted for delivery at factories located on the railway at $1.50 per ton; lump and nut coal mixed, $1.75 per ton; lump coal $2.00 per ton; grate coal, screened, $2.50 per ton. The cities of Knoxville, Chattanooga, and Nashville, in Tennessee, and of Birmingham and Huntsville, in Alabama, are practically surrounded by coal fields. The coal is of a high grade, burning with a long flame, and for this reason, admirable adapted for the making of steam. Many of these coals, especially those taken from the Pratt seam, in Alabama; from the Sewanee seam, in Tennessee; the Pocahontas seam, in Virginia, and from two or more seams in Southwestern Virginia and West Virginia, are regarded as the equal of any coal products in America for the manufacture of high grade coke for foundry purposes, as well as for the making pig iron. Some of this coke is shown by analysis to contain 93 per cent. of carbon, with no injurious ingredients. The Bon Air coal has no superior as a grate or stocking coal.

"To show the rapid increase in the production of bituminous coal in the South, it is only necessary to compare the production of 1880 and 1886 with the production of 1896 and 1897, as seen in the table given below:

BITUMINOUS COAL (SHORT TONS).

	Production of United States.	Production of the South.	Percentage for the South.
1880.....	49,831,758	2,087,163	14 per cent.
1886.....	70,985,734	12,720,614	18 per cent.
1895.....	137,640,276	31,483,984	23 per cent.
1897.....	147,789,002	34,016,975	24 per cent.

"It will thus be seen that the South has increased its production about six times since 1880, and three times since 1886, and the outlook now is that it will double its present output within the next five years."

No one now questions the prediction, more than once made, by persons versed in the iron industry that the South will in the no distant future be the center of the iron industry in this country, and certainly the figures herein encourage this belief, for if starting practically with nothing, without experience, and with little money, these industries have made the splendid progress they have within a few decades who can place bounds to the possibilities when both experience and capital can be commanded as desired? If there be good reason to contend that the cotton mills must eventually come to the cotton fields (and there is) there is even better reason to contend that the iron mills must come to the iron and coal fields, where the iron and coal can be had in the greatest abundance and at the lowest cost.

Cotton may bear transportation by rail considerable distance, although that, of course, reduces the profits of the manufacturer, but neither iron nor coal will bear long transportation by rail, because they are too weighty. The iron manufacturer who is compelled to draw his iron and coal a long distance cannot compete with the manufacturer near the coal and iron beds, and it is only a question of time with him when he must surrender and go out of business, as the iron manufacturers of New England have done, as those in some portions of Pennsylvania have done and as others will do. The country or section which can make the cheapest iron will be the country or section which will control that industry, and that is what the South is doing.

The practical joker still continues to turn up. A couple of them in New York the other day decided to have some fun, and proceeded to make connection by wire between a trolley wire and a soap barrel in a near-by lavoratory. Then they sent their victim in to get some soap. He thrust his arm into the barrel and received a shock from the effects of which he died. The jokers don't think it so funny now.

Tod Sloan has ridden to the fore among the celebrities in England. Tod is no slo'un. A Marchioness who backed with cash one of the horses Tod backed himself lost, but Tod gallantly offered to reimburse her.

PROTECT THE BIRDS.

We have in this country a "Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals," which is very commendable and is doubtless doing a good work, at least in those cities where its objects are carried out. This was inspired simply by sympathy for dumb animals, which were so unfortunate as to fall into the hands of cruel and brutal masters. Through the instrumentality of this society the laws in many States and cities have been made more rigid for the protection of animals, and with good results.

If the animals which do us service, or no service, are deserving of protection, which no humane person would dispute, how about the birds which render the human family incalculable service, although this is not as generally known as it should be? A French writer, who has made the habits of birds a study, is quoted as saying that if all the insect-devouring birds were destroyed, in less that nine years the insects would become so numerous that they would devour everything green on the face of the earth, and yet the slaughter of the birds goes on in this and in other countries to an extent that few people have any conception of, and principally for feathers for ornamental purposes. The following from the last report of Mr. W. C. Hammel, President of the Audubon Society of Baltimore, will give some idea of how the slaughter goes on in this country, which we find condensed in an ex change thus:

"In the last fifteen years, it is stated, the percentage of decrease, as well as it can be estimated on the basis of the observation made, was as follows for the several States named: Maine, 52; New Hampshire, 32; Massachusetts, 27; Vermont, 30; Rhode Island, 60; Connecticut, 75; New York, 48; New Jersey, 37; Pennsylvania, 57; Ohio, 38; Indiana, 60; Illinois, 38; Michigan, 28; Wisconsin, 40; Iowa, 37; Missouri, 36; Nebraska, 10; North Dakota, 59; District of Columbia, 58; South Carolina, 32; Georgia, 65; Florida, 77; Mississippi, 37; Louisiana, 55; Texas, 67; Arkansas, 50; Montana, 75; Idaho, 40; Colorado, 28, and Indian Territory, 75. There is considerable varation in the rates, it will be noted, even for some neighboring States, but all are startlingly high, and the average for the States named is 46 per cent—representing a loss of nearly half of their bird population in a decade and a half. The figures, it is explained, were obtained from Government reports and the records of Audubon Societies, and are, therefore, entitled to respect, as the trained observers who have presented them can at least compare present observation with former ones, and so work out fairly reliable percentages.

"President Hammel reports further, in part explanation of the losses observed, that one taxidermist in New York handles 30,000 bird skins every year; that a firm in the same city recently made a contract to deliver 40,000 bird skins in Paris; and that in four months 70,000 birds were killed for their feathers on Long Island alone. 'If the enormous destruction of birds,' Mr. Hammel says, 'could once more be placed in its true light before the men and women, and our young people, I am sure they would co-operate most heartily with us,' and the Baltimore Audubon Society proposes to organize chapters or branches among the children of the public and private schools in that city, and to supply them with books of 'bird stories' and other like literature that is designed to enlist their interests and efforts for the preservation of the feathered innocents from the fate which now threatens them."

Several of our States, notably Illinois and Arkansas, have passed very stringent laws for the protection of birds, and probably others will; but to make such laws thoroughly effective they should be supported by public sentiment, and with this in view there should be a bird protecting society in every city, town and village in the United States.

A GOOD TRADE.

Spain made a good trade when she sold the Caroline islands to Germany for about $5,000,000 and made Germany to some extent an ally. There were rumors some time ago that the Kaiser had his eye on those islands and was trying to make a deal for them, but this was denied and the transactions have since been carried on so quietly that the public had forgotten all about it until the announcement was made that the trade had been effected.

Possibly this may be a good thing Germany, which, in view of her schemes in the East, may find use for those islands, but it surely will be for Spain, which now has no more use for colonies than she would have for a seaport in Mars, if there be any such thing up there.

Having lost all her possessions that might have been made of value to her she does well to get rid of the remainder at any price, or for that matter at no price at all. Relieved of her encumbrances, which she has never shown any ability to manage with benefit to herself or to them, she continues her attention to the developement of her home resources, which contain the elements of wealth, to the building up of her manufactories, improvement in her agriculture, the increase of her commerce and the betterment of her people by educating them and training them to take their part in the industrial march and become self reliant, self sustaining and independent.

YOU ARE MAKING a great mistake in not sending for a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. It is a specific for catarrh and cold in the head. We mail it, or the 50 cent size. Druggists all keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Greensboro *Record*: Giles Mebane died at his home in Graham Friday. He was over 90. He was prominent in his day, being an attorney and representing his county in the Legislature many terms.

— Winston *Journal*: Dr. H. F. Long, of Statesville, who visited Mayodan a few days past to examine the small pox patients, says that the disease was directly traceable to some second clothing which came from Baltimore.

— Elizabeth City *Carolinian*: The truck crops in this section thus far have not been as remunerative as was hoped for. Peas have been a disappointment, and the price of strawberries have not warranted extensive shipments. Potatoes are beginning to go to market. The crop generally looks fine.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: Mr. C. C. Collins Saturday morning turned loose about forty homing pigeons sent him from Bridgeport, Connecticut. They were liberated at 4:30 o'clock and should they follow their instinct and fly directly home, are expected to reach Bridgport to-night, probably about 9:30 o'clock. Their intended destination is an estimated distance of 800 miles from Greensboro. Mr. Collins, a short time ago, liberated two pigeons sent him from central Pennsylvania and they made the trip home in eight hours.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: States Treasurer Worth, in answer to inquiries makes the following ruling on the section of the Revenue Act imposing a license tax on undertakers: "The definition of an undertaker is 'one who takes charge of and manages funerals.' You can manufacture all the coffins that will be necessary for your county, and not be subject to a license tax as an undertaker unless you 'manage funerals.' It does not at all apply to carpenters or shop men, who can deal at wholesale or retail without being liable to license tax as an undertaker. Even a dealer in coffins is not liable to license tax unless he 'manages funerals.'"

— Monroe *Enquirer*: We learn that chinch bugs have made their appearance in different sections of the county. —— The docket for criminal caurt, which convenes June 12th, is a very heavy one one. There will be at least one hundred and fifty cases on the docket. There are ten prisoners in jail. There will be two capital cases to try. —— S. M. Secrest had a hearing before C. N. Simpson, Esq., last Thursday on a charge of perjury. The warrant was sworn out on account of testimony by Secrest in the Bellamy-Dockery contest case. Secrest was bound over to Superior court. —— Mrs. Naomi Broom, relict of the late Charles Broom, died at her home three miles south of Monroe, last Tuesday, May 30th. She had been confined to her bed for a long a long while. She was over eighty years old and died of old age. —— We learn that the Black gold mine, in Vance township, has been sold to Boston capitalists and that new machinery will be put in to replace the outfit which was destroyed by fire two or three years ago.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Secretary Gage defends the President's anti-civil service order, but who shall defend Secretary Gage? He is not known as an advocate of civil service principles, and the obnoxious order respecting the baggage of incoming travelers, for which he is responsible, has not increased his reputation for either patriotism or wisdom.—*Philadelphia Ledger, Ind*

—— The Filipinos had fought the Spaniards many years for liberty and independence, without knowing the Americans or asking their intervention. Where did they get this "devilish inspiration" to fight the Spanish? From Atkinson, Hoar, or some anti-Hannaite? The truth is that is that the inspiration of human liberty in any breast is heaven born, and is the true evidence of manhood everywhere. — *Norfolk Virginian-Pilot, Dem.*

——"What shall be said," asks the Baltimore *News*, "of the failure of a city possessing the fabulous wealth of New York to stop the matchless vandalism which destroys one of the loveliest bits of natural scenery in the world, at its very doors, with no greater pecuniary temptation to the work of destruction than can be got out of the conversation than the magnificent Palisade into paving stones. We fail to recall anything in the world's history to match this and a display of Philistine callousness." What does the *News* think of the Philistine callousness of most of the States in allowing the wasteful destruction of their forests, streams, birds and fish without deriving any compensation whatever for the loss? New York city is not the biggest or worst vandal in the country by any means.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

APPOINTMENTS.

By the Bishop of East Carolina.

June 6, Tuesday, S. John's, South Mills.

June 7, Wednesday, E. P., Holy Trinity, Hertford.

June 8, Thursday, Good Shepherd, Winfall.

June 11, Sunday, S. Barnabas, M.P., S. Pauls', Edenton.

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June 13, Avoca.

June 18, Sunday, 3rd after Trinity, M. P., S. James', Haslin.

June 18, Sunday, 3rd after Trinity, E. P., S. Augustine's, Pantego.

June 19, Monday, M. P., consecration of the church, Yeatesville.

June 19, Monday, E. P., S. Thomas, Bath.

June 20, Tuesday, Long Acre.

June 21, Wednesday, ordination, S. Thomas', Bath.

June 25, Sunday, fourth after Trinity, M. P., S. John's, Durham's Creek.

June 25, Sunday, fourth after Trinity, E. P., Chapel of the Cross, Aurora.

June 26, Monday, Com., Chapel of the Cross, Aurora.

June 28, Wednesday, M. P., S. John's, Wakelyville.

June 29, Thursday, E. P., Statesville.

June 30, Friday, Swan Quarter.

July 2, Sunday, fifth after Trinity, M. P., S. George's, Hyde county.

July 3, Monday, E. P., Fairfield.

July 6, Thursday, E. P., Belhaven.

July 9, Sunday, sixth after Trinity, M. P., S. Luke's, Washington county.

July 9, Sunday, sixth after Trinity, E. P., Advent, Roper.

July 12, Wednesday, M. P., S. Andrew's, Columbia.

July 14, Friday, consecration of church, Creswell.

July 16, Sunday, 7th after Trinity, M. P., S. Ionds, Scuppernong.

— "You say she is a business woman. What business is she interested in?" "Oh! everybody's."—*Tit-Bits.*

TWINKLINGS.

— George—"How is your suit with Miss De Pink progressing?" Jack—"Finely. When I call now her dog wags its tail."—*Stray Stories.*

— Her Ambition: Mrs. Manhatan—"You seem very proud of your daughters." Mrs. Lakeside—"Yes they have all divorced so well."—*Puck.*

— Mable—"I had a letter from Clara in London in which she said she was to be presented at court." Ellen—"I hope the poor girl will be acquitted."—*Tit-Bits.*

— "Don't you think applause is out of place in church?" "Decidedly. Just think, if the preacher should interpret it as an encore."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— First Soldier—"I was one of the men behind the guns." Second Soldier—"You ain't got nothing to brag of. I was one of the men in front of them."—*Syracuse Herald.*

— His Admission—"A man," she said, "never knows when he is well off." "True," he replied, "and it's a mighty fortunate thing for women who do not care to be old maids that they don't."—*Chicago Evening Post.*

— "Why do they have those glass cases with the ax, hammer, crowbar, etc., in these cars," asked a traveller on the railroad going to New York. "Oh! those are put there to use in case any one wants a window open," replied the facetious man."—*Yonkers Statesman.*

— No Cause for Suicide: Miss Dreamer—"When you stood on the brink of Niagara and looked into the seething, surging, unfathomable depths below, did you not feel that you would like to jump in?" Mr. Tournier—"No; I hadn't received my hotel bill then."—*New York Weekly.*

HARD TO COLLECT THE BILL.

Tincup Tired of His Name and Put It and His Debts Behind Him.

There are some Indians, not many, keeping stores in the territory. Most of the merchandising is done by white men. Formerly, when the wholesale house of the city supplied an Indian storekeeper on credit, it took long odds on his honesty, for until recently the red man could not be sued. Nevertheless in the past the losses were not so heavy as might have been supposed. A lawyer who had marked success with hard collections in the territory told this as fairly illustrative of his strange experiences when Indians belonged to other nationalities and could not be reached by court processes:

"A certain house in St. Louis had been selling goods on credit to an Indian who went by the name of Mr. Tincup. Suddenly it lost track of the customer. At that time the St. Louis firm had credited him to the amount of nearly $3,000. But while Tincup dropped out of the firm's knowledge, orders from the same place in the territory began to come in from a customer who had never been heard of before, and who gave his name as Littlepidge. I was called upon to investigate the matter and to see what I could do with that claim of about $2,800. When I arrived at the place, I discovered that Tincup and Littlepidge were the same individual. I inquired what it meant. The Indian said he had got tired of Tincup and had adopted the new name.

"'But don't you know you can't change your name that way?' I asked him. 'Don't you know you are likely to get into the penitentiary for such a thing as that?'

"The Indian said he didn't know he had violated any law. On investigation I learned that he hadn't. The law of his nation permitted him to change his name at will. I dropped that branch of the subject and got around to the question of collecting what the late Mr. Tincup owed. It was a hard job. The Indian couldn't be sued. I knew that, and so did he. I had nothing to stand upon but moral suasion. I tried bluffing. I went on one line, and when I found I was making no impression upon the debtor there I tried another. I threatened and argued and coaxed. That was all I could do. I just kept at it until I persuaded Mr. Indian to make a settlement. The result was I carried back to my clients the bulk of the debt, but I got it through no help of the law. It was just a case of talking the Indian into the payment of part of his obligation. And that was the way we had to do business down here until the United States courts were given civil jurisdiction over the Indians."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

America Not Looked For.

Nobody wanted to discover America. They wanted to reach India by sea, to reach Cathay or China and Cipango, a fabulous island of fabulous wealth, whose image seems to have been formed partly from Plato's legend of the island Atlantis, partly perhaps from rumors of Japan brought overland from mouth to mouth by oriental traders, who had never been farther than China, and, since the adventures of Marco Polo, never so far.

Mr. Fisko's book, "The Discovery of America," and the old maps which he reproduces in it show that Columbus and Amerigo Vespucci both died without a suspicion that they had discovered America. They and others after them for years practically omitted the extent of the Pacific from their conception of the globe, even as they contracted the extent of Asia eastward. Where they did, as a matter of fact, find America they expected to find China and in the south sea the great island Cipango. They were always searching for Cipango, the court of the great khan, or the land of Ophir.—Fortnightly Review.

No Disrespect Intended.

He was an old man, says the Baltimore News, and he had an honest face, but it was evident to all the passengers in the street car that his persistent stare at the pretty woman opposite embarrassed and annoyed her. Several hints were thrown out, but he did not take them, and the man beside him finally asked:

"Did you ever see a woman before?"

"Of course," was the reply.

"Well, they don't like to be stared at as you are doing. Can't you see how uncomfortable you have made that woman?"

"Have I? By George, I didn't mean to! Say, ma'am, you must excuse me. I didn't mean no disrespect nor nuthin, but you are a gaul durned good lookin woman, and I was gazin at you same as I would look at a cow!"

Sikh Regulations.

A set of regulations, intended to distinguish the Sikhs irrevocably from those around them, was the rule of the Five Kakkas. Every Sikh must have with him five things beginning with the letter k—viz, kesa (long hair), kangha (a comb), karada (a knife), kirapana (a sword) and kacha (breeches reaching to the knee). The purpose of these rules was that every Sikh should avoid shaving, as do Mohammedans and Hindoos, and should be constantly armed and free from the long garments that might impede him in a fight.—New World.

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His Manner of Bath.

At a little cosmopolitan gathering in a home on the North Side the company were discussing the unkind thrust at Chicago for flatting the letter "a," when the girl from Boston remarked as she peered serenely over her glasses:

"We always give it the continental accent. For instance, we say bawth."

"Pahaw!" said the New York girl, shrugging her handsome shoulders. "That isn't continental. That's New England. Now, we always pronounce it barth."

"You're away off," retorted Miss Chicago, going into the subject neck and elbows. "We are the most correct people in the world, with all the up to date knowledge there is, and we give it the full value—baarth."

"There's a Londoner among us," suggested one of the company. "Get him to pronounce the word and notice what he does with the 'a.'"

So they tackled the bewildered Englishman, without letting him know their motive, but asking him solemn questions about his opinion of the bath. After regarding them with a sphinxlike stare through his monocled eye the gentleman from London said:

"Quite so. Quite so. I always tub in the morning."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Black Fooled Them.

Sir Wemyss Reid, in a personal sketch of his friend the late Mr. Black in The Speaker, tells how the novelist outwitted The Saturday Review. When "A Daughter of Heth" appeared, it took the town by storm, and as it appeared anonymously Sir Wemyss heard for the first time from an acquaintance who the author was:

It was with a certain sense of injury that he asked, "Why, if Black wrote the book, did he not put his name to it?" "Oh, don't you know?" was the instant response. "That is the best part of the joke. The Saturday Review has been 'down' upon everything he has written, so he purposely published this book anonymously in order to take in The Saturday Reviewers, and they were the first people to sound the praises of 'A Daughter of Heth.' If his name had been on the title page, they would have damned it."

Unlike many bits of gossip about successful authors, this—as Sir Wemyss learned later from Mr. Black's own lips—was strictly true.

Distinguished Street.

One street of Brunswick, Me., contains the homesteads where Longfellow wrote "Outre Mer," Mrs. Stowe "Uncle Tom's Cabin," J. S. C. Abbott "A History of Napoleon Bonaparte," Professor Cleveland his "Mineralogy" and Professor Upham his "Moral and Mental Philosophy."—Keystone.

Love Is Blind Too.

There is said to be twice as much blindness among men as there is among women. This may account for some of the proposals of marriage certain women receive, but it doesn't explain why some other women accept certain men.—Gate City.

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BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute		@	6¾
Standard		@	7¼
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ ℔	12	@	12¼
Sides ℔ ℔		@	8
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	6¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔		@	5¼
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	5½
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 25	@	1 35
New New York, each		@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔		@	22
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	5 00	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	12½@		15
Northern	20	@	23
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	51	@	55
Virginia Meal	52	@	53
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle		@	90
CANDLES—℔ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	10½@		11¼
Dairy Cream		@	11
State		@	10¼
COFFEE—℔ ℔—			
Laguyra	12	@	16
Rio	7½@		10
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5¼
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 lbs		@	70
EGGS—℔ dozen	11	@	12
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	20 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 00	@	4 00
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	5 00	@	8 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	4 25	@	4 50
FLOUR—℔ ℔—			
Low grade		@	3 50
Choice		@	3 75
Straight	4 00	@	4 25
First Patent	4 50	@	5 00
GLUE—℔ ℔	8@	@	9
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White		@	55
Car-load, in bgs—White		@	52
Oats, from store	40	@	45
Oats, Rust Proof		@	45
Cow Peas	65	@	70
Black Eye Peas	1 00	@	1 10
HIDES—℔ ℔—			
Green salted		@	6¼
Dry flint		@	10
Dry salt		@	9
HAY ℔ 100 lbs			
Clover Hay	70	@	80
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	80	@	85
Western	80	@	85
North River	80	@	85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔		@	3½
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	6	@	7
North Carolina	6	@	10½
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	18 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15100
Common mill	6 00	@	6 50
Fair mill	8 50	@	9 00
Prime mill	8 50	@	10 00
Extra mill	10 00	@	10 50
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	23	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	25	@	32
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	35
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 30d basis	2 00	@	2 10
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	10 50
Rump		@	10 00
Prime		@	9 50
ROPE, ℔ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 10
Liverpool	75	@	80
American	70	@	75
On 120 ℔ Sacks		@	67½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 60	@	3 50
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd	5¾@		5¾
Standard A	5	@	5¼
White Extra C	5	@	5¼
Extra C, Golden		@	5
C, Yellow		@	4¾
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3½@		4¼
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Palmo		@	7 00
Mill, Fair		@	6 50
Common Mill	4 50	@	5100
Inferior to ordinary	3 00	@	4 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℔ M 6:24 heart	7 50	@	8 50
" Sap	5 00	@	6100
5:24 Heart	4 50	@	5100
" Sap	4 00	@	4 50
4:24 Heart	6 00	@	6 50
" Sap	5 00	@	5 50
TALLOW, ℔ ℔		@	4
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1100	@	2 00
North Carolina	1100	@	00
COT. per ℔—Unwashed	18	@	18

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It mattereth not though with exquisite skill
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Directeth the path it shall go.

It mattereth not if the song you shall sing
Be chosen from all others apart.
'Tis God alone can attune thy tone
To the weary, grief worn heart.

You may search the Scriptures from Genesis on
As revealed by inspired pen;
You may choose out the sweetest of beautiful words—
God only can fit them to men.

You may write from the depth of your inmost soul
Of the tender, sweet themes graven there,
But only the Master can use the poor words
To bless or to comfort despair.

But yet thou shalt hold with a firm, steady hand
A shaft and a bow nonpareil,
And the Workman who forged them will guide thee aright
And destine the point of thy steel.

The song thou shalt sing shall be rarest and best
That from master and poet may fall;
Thy voice be attuned to its sweetest cadence,
And through thy tones God's spirit will call.

And write as God shall inspire thy pen.
Though no heed upon earth may be given.
Thine own soul will glow with the beautiful thought
And he will reveal it in heaven.

—Rose Van B. Speece.

AN OLD RAZOR.

The Story of What Led to Its Rusty Condition.

I found it lying, apparently neglected, in the corner of a drawer.

"You hardly seem in flourishing circumstances. To what do you attribute your—your rusty condition?"

"Mostly to pride."

"Pride? That is a very singular statement."

"Well, I considered that my owner did not treat me with proper respect, so the next time we met I cut him."

"Dead?"

"Not exactly, but he felt decidedly hurt."

"Did he remonstrate?"

"It would grieve me to repeat the language he used, but I was a match for him. Latterly I have prided myself on my bluntness and am sure that I made him wince."

"Was it then that you gave up shaving?"

"Yes, I was forcibly retired without a pension. Still, I am not so keen on shaving as I was when younger."

"Perhaps you feel that you are now reaping the results of your folly?"

"Reaping! Is thy servant a scythe that you should talk of reaping?"

And I fancied that the razor ground its edge with indignation.

"I apologize. I did not suppose you had anything to do with corn cutting. By the way, what have been your most thrilling experiences?"

"I have been partially swallowed by a baby. I have also been photographed in my case by the X rays."

"As an ex-razor, I presume, but there is nothing very thrilling about it. Have you not something more exciting to tell me?"

"Once a foolish young fellow, who had been crossed in love, surreptitiously borrowed me. He carefully felt my edge, stropped me to a nicety, and then"—

"Then what?"

"Shut me up. And if you will be so exceedingly kind as to take the hint I shall feel very much obliged."

And the razor shut up.—Fred Edmonds in London Sketch.

Bows.

While universally used by the ancients, the form of the bow varied with different nations. The Scythian bow, according to a writer in Lippincott's, was in the form of the letter C, and the bow of the Tartars—descendants of the Scythians—still keeps that shape.

The Greek bow was not more than three or four feet in length, but so stout and stiff that it required considerable strength and skill to use it. It is said that the first Greek bows were made from the horns of a species of goat, the bases being united by means of a metallic band. Afterward other material was used in their manufacture, but they still retained their original shape. These bows were too short to be of much use, and, comparatively speaking, but a small portion of the troops were armed with them.

The Romans carried the bow to Britain, where it at once obtained favor, and during the middle ages was extensively used, forming an important element of the armies of that period.

The English archers were said to be the finest in the world, and their skill decided the battles of Crecy, Poitiers and Agincourt. The bows used were of two kinds—the long bow and the arbalest or crossbow. The arbalest was made of steel or horn, and was of such strength and stiffness that it was necessary to use some mechanical appliance to bend it and adjust the string. The arbalestiers carried a quiver with 50 arrows and were placed in the van of the battle.

Lives Lost In Coal Mines.

It is said that every 110,000 tons of anthracite coal mined in Pennsylvania costs the life of one workman and more than two serious injuries. Every 350,000 tons of bituminous coal means the life of one miner and injuries to at least three others.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Many good stories—some true and some untrue—are told of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt. She loves a good story about herself, especially if there isn't a sting to it, and she frequently tells one to her friends. The other day, in Paris, after denying a yarn to the effect that she had approached so near the crater at Vesuvius as to have her eyebrows burned off, she said: "I'll tell you a story, however, that is amusing and true.

"You know that 15 years ago I bought old Fort des Poulains, on Belle Isle-en-Mer, and some of my most joyous moments have been spent there, far from the madding crowd. It was de-

MME. SARAH BERNHARDT.

licious to get away from people for awhile. A little while ago I was startled by the news that the municipal council were planning a local railway which would pass my grounds and establish one of its principal yards close to my stables. This meant an invasion of people, and I was furious. I immediately advertised my property for sale.

"Two or three days afterward I received a curious looking document, the contents of which touched me greatly. The natives of Belle Isle-en-Mer were loyal to me. The document was a signed protest, begging me to remain with them, assuring me they would fight the council's plans, and, if words had no effect, they would refuse to sell their land. That is why I am still chatelaine of old Fort des Poulains and why Belle Isle-en-Mer is without a railway."

A Cool One.

Though John Wanamaker is a hard fighter and says some pretty warm things at times—for instance, when opposing Senator Quay—he is known to be generally cool and calm under circumstances that excite most men. A Philadelphia man tells the following to illustrate this characteristic of the big merchant-politician:

"When the tidings were carried to John Wanamaker the night of the big fire at Thirteenth and Market streets that a fire was raging in dangerous proximity to his big store, the messenger, who was badly flurried, found him engaged in conducting services in the Bethany Sunday school building. He received the message without a change of countenance and calmly continued

JOHN WANAMAKER.

with the service. Another much excited messenger arrived a few minutes later with the information that the fire was spreading rapidly. 'In what building did the fire originate?' asked Mr. Wanamaker, gently placing his hand on the excited man's shoulder to quiet him. When this was told him, he remarked coolly, 'Well, then, I guess I'd better go.' He then inquired if his carriage had arrived yet. It had not, and with the remark, 'Oh, well, then let's continue until the carriage arrives,' he proceeded with the service. When he arrived at the scene, he was the calmest person there."

Stories of Mansfield.

A writer in the Philadelphia Post tells this new story of Richard Mansfield's youth: "He was educated in Germany and then went to Eton school, England. Even so far, what an education for an actor! The traveling and the continuous change of scenery would have developed an unusually bright boy indeed, and of Mansfield it made a precocious youth, who is remembered on the round of his school days even now. When he was at school in England, the boys gave a performance of the 'Merchant of Venice,' Mansfield acting Shylock. The bishop of Litchfield was a guest of honor that day, and at the conclusion of the play he asked the youthful Shylock to come forward so that he might speak to him. Shaking the boy's hand, he said, 'Heaven forbid that I should encourage you to become an actor; but should you you will be a great one.'"

The Prince and His Daughter.

A very deep feeling of affection exists between the Prince of Wales and his only unmarried daughter, Princess Victoria, remarks a current magazine.

She has always been a great pet of her father, who used affectionately to call her "Torie," partly no doubt as an abbreviation of her name, but partly also in reference to her quaintly conservative opinions and friendship.

Paste Gems.

The pleasure of wearing sparkling stones is to a great extent the knowledge that others cannot afford to wear them. But this is a pleasure with which I have no sympathy. Jewels should simply be regarded as an ornament, irrespective of their intrinsic value. But so little is this realized by the wealthy classes that many ladies wear sham diamonds exactly similar to those that they possess, which are kept at their bankers for fear of theft. This is much like a person plastering himself over with certified bankers' checks. It is a mere advertisement to all that the person is so wealthy that he or she can afford to leave a vast amount of capital locked up without interest.—London Truth.

Declining Love.

Lottie—I'm afraid Fred doesn't care for me as much as he did.

Edith—Nonsense! What makes you think so?

Lottie—I got a letter from him today, and there were at least three places where he might have put in a "dear" or a "darling" and didn't.—Boston Transcript.

His Object.

Mr. Bunsby—If that young man's coming here to see you every day in the week, you had better give him a hint to come after supper.

Miss Bunsby—I don't think it's necessary, pa. That's what he comes after.—Tit-Bits.

What He Didn't Know.

"They say that ex-Mayor Latrobe went to some sort of a celebration given by the Ebenezer colored church down on Montgomery street," said a man about town. "He was asked to speak and of course complied in his usual style. 'You have named this church after a great man,' he said, 'and I hope you will try to emulate his example. He was a man who couldn't be led astray by any one and believed his first duty was to God and then to his fellow man. He was a'— Well, I don't know what all he didn't say about that fellow Ebenezer, but anyhow he noticed for some reason or other his address wasn't as tumultuously received as usual, and as he drove away after the meeting behind Old Lix he was humming the old hymn 'Here I Raise My Ebenezer' and trying to figure the matter out. When he got home he asked a good Christian lady, who happened to be there on a visit, who Ebenezer was.

"'Why, you goose,' said she, 'Ebenezer wasn't a man. Ebenezer means a stone. Didn't you know that?'

"Now when General Latrobe addresses a church audience he carries a pocket Bible dictionary with him."—Baltimore News.

"N R G."

Aubrey de Vere, an Irish poet and gentleman, mentions in his "Recollections" that when 10 years old he had a tutor who constantly inculcated in him rectitude, purpose and energy.

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Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:30 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:45 A. M., Raleigh 3:35 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:13 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:30 A. M.

Train 35—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 8:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 8:48A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A.M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Raleigh 11:13 A. M., Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 36—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 10.05 noon.

Train 402—Leaves Washington 5:00 P. M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 P. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

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Train 403—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 noon. Arrives Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:15 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 3:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M. Washington 10:40 A. M.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 P. M. Arrives Gibson 8:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 A. M. Arrives Hamlet 7.40 A. M.

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Schedule in Effect March 26th, 1899.

South Bound Daily No. 52.	MAIN LINE.	North Bound Daily No. 53.
6 50 p m	Ar.....Wilmington.....Lv	9 00 a m
3 50 p m	Lv.....Fayetteville.....Ar	12 10 a m
3 45 p m	Ar.....Fayetteville.....Lv	12 28 p m
2 30 p m	Lv.....Sanford.....Lv	1 43 p m
12 42 p m	Lv.....Climax.....Lv	3 44 p m
12 13 p m	Lv.....Greensboro.....Ar	4 15 p m
11 55 a m	Ar.....Greensboro.....Lv	4 36 p m
11 07 a m	Lv.....Stokesdale.....Lv	5 12 p m
10 36 a m	Lv.....Walnut Cove.....Lv	5 44 p m
10 09 a m	Lv.....Rural Hall.....Lv	6 13 p m
8 45 a m	Lv.....Mt. Airy.....Ar	7 35 p m

South Bound Daily No. 64.	BENNETTSVILLE.	North Bound Daily No. 65.
8 00 a m	Lv.....Bennettsville.....Ar	7 15 p m
9 07 a m	Lv.....Maxton.....Lv	6 15 p m
9 33 a m	Lv.....Red Springs.....Lv	5 35 p m
10 20 a m	Lv.....Hope Mills.....Lv	4 52 p m
10 40 a m	Ar.....Fayetteville.....Lv	4 33 p m

No 46		No. 47.
South Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.	MADISON BRANCH.	North Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.
5 30 p m	Ar.....Ramseur.....Lv	6 40 a m
3 50 p m	Lv.....Climax.....Ar	8 25 a m
2 40 p m	Lv.....Greensboro.....Ar	9 17 a m
2 20 p m	Ar.....Greensboro.....Lv	9 35 a m
11 15 p m	Lv.....Stokesdale.....Lv	11 07 a m
12 30 p m	Lv.....Madison.....Ar	11 55 a m

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.45 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.10 A. M., Warsaw 11.53 A. M., Goldsboro 12.20 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M. Weldon 4.30 P. M., Petersburg 6.21 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.50 A. M., Philadelphia 3.52 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.34 P. M., Warsaw 8.48 P. M., Goldsboro 9.45 P. M., Wilson 10.38 P. M., †Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.38 P. M. Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.35 A. M., Petersburg 2.35 A. M., Richmond 4.33 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.33 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M. New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P M No. 55—Passengar—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.38 P. M. Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M. Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.30 P. M., Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.50 P M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York †9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.50 A. M. Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond †9.05 A. M., Petersburg 10.00 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.21 P. M., Warsaw 4.12 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 9.40 A M No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.30 A. M., Philadelphia 12.09 P. M., Baltimore 2.25 P. M., Washington 3.45 P M., Richmond 7.30 P M., Petersburg 8.12 P. M., †Norfolk 2.30 P. M., Weldon 9.43 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M. Leave Wilson 6.30 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.98 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.15 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M. Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.30 A M., Chadbourn 11.34 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.03 A. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.53 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 5.00 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M., and 5.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.05 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nash ville 10.10 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.29 A. M.; 5.26 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 8.10 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 10.25 A. M.

Florence Railroad leave Fee Dee 10.09 A. M., arrive Latta 10.34 A. M., Dillon 10.36 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Fee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.30 A. M.; arrive Hub 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 5.13 P. M., Manning 6.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M.; 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.35 A. M.; 5.55 P. M Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Aartsville 9 15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 2.25 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.35 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.90 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 3.00 P. M., Cheraw 4.45 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leaves Wilson 1.58 P. M., 11.14 P. M., arrive Selma 2.50 P. M. 11.57 P. M., Smithfield 3.06 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.35 P. M., 1.08 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.54 A. M., Fayetteville 12.15 P. M., 9.40 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.52 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.31 A. M.

Manchester & Augusta R. R. trains leave Sumter 4.39 A. M., Creston 5.17 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.12 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.13 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P. M. Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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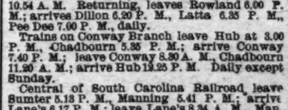

To Take Effect Sunday, Nov. 28, 1897, at 12 M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains 3 Arrive	GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains 3 Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains 4 Arrive	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains 4 Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro.....	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston.....	10 13	.....
5 35	5 45	Newbern.....	9 07	9 10
6 57	7 02	Morehead City.	7 42	7 47
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.33 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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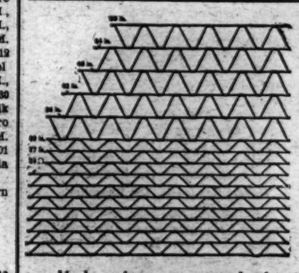

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OUTRAGES IN GEORGIA.

Mrs. David Ward Attacked at Her Home by a Negro—A Young White Woman Assaulted Near Baxley.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., June 5.—A special from Columbus, Ga., says: An unknown negro made an attempt yesterday to assault Mrs. David Ward, who lives three miles west of Girard. Mrs. Ward defended herself with a pistol and sent two bullets after the frightened wretch.

While a posse was scouring the woods to day to find the negro, leaving Mrs. Ward alone, her husband joining in the chase, the same negro with remarkable nerve entered the Ward home again and made a second attempt at assault. This time he tore the clothes from Mrs. Ward, but she managed to secure her pistol and shot at the negro four times.

Mrs. Ward says she saw the negro fall several times while running from the house Bloodhounds from Opelika have been telegraphed for. If not already dead from the wounds, it is expected the negro will be lynched.

A special to the *Constitution* from Baxley, Ga., says:

Will Abels, a negro, assaulted Mrs. Vicey Edgerton, a young white woman, living near here. A posse pursued and captured him, and he is now in jail. It is believed the law will be allowed to take its course.

DEWEY LEAVES HONG KONG.

Details of the Voyage of the Olympia to New York Are Still Undecided.—The Admiral's Health Improved.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

HONG KONG, June 5.—Admiral Dewey left the Peak hotel and returned to the Olympia yesterday. This morning he paid farewell calls to the Governor, General Gascoigne and the commanders of the warships in the harbor.

Admiral Dewey's health has been considerably benefitted by his residence at the Peak. He has refused all social invitations and has taken a perfect rest. He appears somewhat haggard from the effects of the continual strain he has been under and of the climate.

The Olympia will sail at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, but Admiral Dewey will not give a farewell dinner, nor will be accept one. It is hoped that the quiet change and the voyage will quite restore him to health by the time he reaches New York.

The details of the ports at which he will call are still undecided, but it is probable that stops will be made at Singapore and Columbo. The admiral seems anxious to avoid all display and merely to seek rest. His officers and crew are elated at the prospect of a return home.

MARION CLARK KIDNAPPERS.

Committed to Jail in Rockland County, New York Authorities Failed to Get Possession.

By Telegraph to the morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Barrow, accused of kidnapping little Maron Clarke, waived examination before Justice of the Peace Herbert at Harnerville, Rockland county, to-day and were committed to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury which meets in October. All efforts of the New York county authorities to obtain possession of the prisoners have failed thus far, and unless Governor Roosevelt should interfere, the New York authorities cannot get the prisoners until after they they have been tried in Rockland county.

The grand jury here has returned indictments against the kidnappers.

The first is against George W. Barrow, alias Mark Beauregard, alias James W. Wilson. The second is against Addie Barrow, otherwise known as Addie Beauregard, and Jennie Wilson. The third is against Carrie Jones known as Bella Anderson.

The indictments are in common law counts and charge abduction, kidnapping and conspiracy.

A KENTUCKY FEUD.

Militia and Hostile Factions Under Arms at the Baker Murder Trial.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, KY., June 5.—The Baker murder trial began at Manchester to-day. Troops sent to guard the court house are camped near the building ready for action. Sentinels are on guard to keep the Howards, Whites and Bakers out of town. The Whites and Howards also put out guards to pick off the Bakers if they attempt to enter the town. The Bakers are camped down on Bear creek, 100 strong. There are fully 100 of the Whites and Howards. Colonel Williams has only 100 soldiers. All the parties are heavily armed. There has been no shooting so far.

TIDINGS FROM ANDREE.

Found On the North Coast of Iceland On May 14th Last.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CHRISTIANA, June 5.—According to a dispatch from Mandal, the most southern town of Norway, two boys, on May 14th last, found on the north coast of Iceland a small cork case, containing a slip of paper dated July 11, 1867, signed Andree, Strandaurg and Fraeneckel, and bearing the words: "All well. Thrown out about longitude 81, latitude unknown."

Prof. Andree's brother thinks the case was probably one of the letter buoys with which the Andree expedition was provided.

S. C. DISPENSARY LAW.

An Important Decision Rendered by the Superior Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBIA, S. C., June 5.—The Superior Court has reversed the decision of the lower court in an important case effecting the dispensary law. The decision gives a citizen the right to drive over into North Carolina or across the bridge to Augusta, Ga., or send his team over with an agent, buy whiskey for his own use and return with it.

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST LOUBET.

The President of France Assaulted by Royalists at Auteuil.

MANY ARRESTS WERE MADE.

Tumultuous Proceedings in the Chamber of Deputies—Violent Denunciation of the President—The Government Sustained.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, June 4.—President Loubet, accompanied by the premier, M. Dupuy, and the chief of the military household, Gen. M. C. Bailloud, drove to the Auteuil races this afternoon, closely followed by Mme. Loubet in a second landau. As they drove along the Avenue Des Champs Elysees the crowd bowed respectfully, but, on arriving at Auteuil they were met by a violent demonstration, evidently organized and directed against the President.

There was a storm of hoots, yells and cries of "Panama!" "A bas Loubet!" and "Vive L'Armee!" A few shouts of "Vive Loubet!" were drowned in the clamor.

A strong force of police kept order and arrested many of the disturbers, including a man who tried to force his way to the President's carriage.

At the crisis of the excitement, while shouts of "Vive L'Armee!" and "Vive De Roulede!" were heard on all sides, Count Christiani rushed toward the President, brandishing a stick, and directed a blow against him, striking his hat. The crowd rushed upon Christiani, who only escaped severe handling by being taken under police protection.

It seems certain that the demonstration was organized by the Jeunesse Royalist, the Ligue Des Patriotes and the anti-Semities, the rallying sign being a carnation in the buttonhole.

Violent Scenes in the Chamber.

PARIS, June 5.—There were violent scenes in the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon, owing to Royalist denunciations of President Loubet, and the soldiers on duty had to eject the chief anti-Loubet speaker, M. Rious de Largentaye.

The Chamber of Deputies met at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The public galleries were crowded with fashionable people, including many ladies in pretty toilettes, who used their fans vigorously on account of heat. The galleries of senators and diplomats were also full. There was a large and early attendance of deputies, who animatedly discussed the incidents of yesterday. Premier Dupuy and the Minister of Justice, M. Lebret, sat on the ministerial bench.

M. Laloge, who moved the interpellation, rose at 2.25 P. M., and said the hour of action had struck. (Cheers from the Leftists and murmurs from the Rightists, and a babel of cries in which MM. Cassagnac and Lasies, anti-Semite, participated).

M. Laloge asked the premier if he had been warned before hand of yesterday's demonstration. He then eulogized President Loubet, who, he said, undertook the Presidency in a time of stress. (Loud applause).

Denounced the President.

M. Rios de Largentaye, Conservative shouted: "Loubet is not honest;" "He is a Panamist."

These statements called forth violent protest's and shouts of "order," but M. de Largentaye persisted in spite of the uproar and hooting, in declaring honest men were arrested yesterday. This was followed with shouts of "Down with Luebet!", and a scene of wild excitement ensued. The Leftist shouted at the top of their voices: "Censure, with temporary exclusion."

President de Schanel ordered M. Largentaye to withdraw, but the latter refused and the session was suspended, the deputies being requested to withdraw in order that M. De Largentaye be expelled.

A Deputy Expelled.

The commanding officer on duty at the Palais Bourbon then entered the Chamber of Deputies with a squad of soldiers and requested M. De Largentaye to withdraw. The latter waited until many of his colleagues had left the house and then rose and walked out, escorted by the soldiers. There was cheering and counter-cheering when M. De Largentaye appeared in the corridors.

The sitting was then resumed.

M. Laloge asked what measures the government intended to take in the future, and the premier replied that after yesterday's incidents his first step was to address a respectful greeting to the nation's elect and to "the firm citizen who was and who remains the guaranty of republican communion." (Cheers.) Continuing, the premier said that yesterday at Auteuil the "advance guard of the reactionary party protested against him and called for his resignation," and proceeded to enlarge upon the coarseness of such a demonstration against an invited guest.

Sunday's Demonstration.

The premier then said: "The representatives of elegance and good taste have given us an idea of what France may expect from their idleness and indolence. We knew secret meetings had taken place and that preparations were made for demonstrations. We took measures for the President's protection in driving to and from the race course, and not having occurred on the way—" Here a Royalist deputy cried: "You hid him."

M. Dupuy retorted: "No, but your friends hid behind women."

Protests from the Rightists followed, and M. Lasios, Anti-Semite, cried: "Loubet and Del Casse (the minister of foreign affairs) hid behind policemen."

This statement was followed by an uproar lasting several minutes. When comparative quiet had been restored, M. Dupuy said: "We stationed police at the paddock with orders to intervene immediately in case of a demonstration, and they did so, though they met with much opposition and protests. I assume all responsibility."

"You have the evil eye," cried M. Lsilos, a remark which caused laughter.

M. Dupuy continued: "All the police did their duty and an individual threw himself on the President of the republic, who remained calm. The proceedings at Autueil were all the more disgusting, because they occured in the presence of foreign representatives. The persons who have been arrested will be examined by a magistrate who will decide whether there was a conspiracy. We are satisfied the accused are members of clubs which the government has decided to close. Yesterday's demonstrations pretended to represent France in the army, but the public was against them. We are supporters of the republic and republicans who do not mix with those who are only borrowed in name in order to better destroy her.

Sick of the Republic.

"You have given us a countersign we intend to uphold. If you give us your confidence we shall know how to defend our institutions from those who attack them." [Applause.]

Here M. de Cavaignac, Conservative, interjected: "The country is sick of the republic. As to the affair which has divided the nation and families, it will yet weigh heavily against you. The stories current in regard to measures was what you propose against the generals—"

"A certain amount of courage," exclaimed the premier, "is required to do what we propose."

"To drag you before a high court," retorted M. Cavaignac (the former minister of war), "by your former col league. You have cause to close the clubs. The nation is awakening and is only awaiting the right man." [Applause.]

The Government Sustained.

After further debate, M. Meline and his supporters moved the order of the day, approving of the government's action. It was carried without a division after the first part had been adopted, by a vote of 513 to 32 and the second part had been voted by 326 to 173.

The chamber by 299 to 238 votes decided to adjourn the appointment of a commission to enquire into the conduct of General Mercier, the former Minister of War, until after the court martial at Rennes, which is to try Dreyfus, as a result of the decision of the Court of Cassaoion.

The Socialist and Radical deputies in the lobbies of the chamber eagerly discussed the measures adopted by the cabinet and criticised them as inadequate. They demand the closing of all Royalist clubs.

The division with reference to General Mercier caused great surprise.

The republican deputies of all shades of opinion have sent President Loubet an address, assuring him of their respectful esteem and of their devotion to republican institutions.

The Leftists moved that the Court of Cassation be placarded everywhere in France and M. Bourde, Socialist, rose and admitted he had been mistaken about the Dreyfus affair and had reparation to make. He added he was surprised M. Cavaignac had not preceded him to the tribune, which caused the latter to say: "I have already made reparation by discovering and making known the error committed."

M. Brison said: "The cabinet I presided over was unfortunate enough to cause to be palcarded a speech containing misstatements. I ask the chamber to vote the placarding of the verdict of the Court of Cassation."

The premier did not oppose the placarding of the verdict, which was adopted by a vote of 317 to 212.

President Loubet Praised.

The papers this morning praise the calmness of President Loubet throughout the demonstration against him yesterday.

Replying to the stewards of the Auteuil races the President remarked: "You are in no way responsible and to prove that I have no anger with you, if there were races I intend to attend them. I am invited to witness the Grand Prix on Sunday next, and you may be sure I will be present."

On his return to the Elysees, M. Loubet said to those who accompanied him: "All of my family opposed my becoming President and I had no desire to remain at the Elysees, but now that it is dangerous to be the chief of state, my duty is clear and I will let my enemies, if I have any, be convinced that I shall accomplish my mission to the end."

Of the persons arrested in connection with the demonstration, forty-three are still held in custody.

KILLED BY NEGROES.

The Wife of a White Farmer in Bibb County, Alabama, Called to Her Door and Shot Down.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., June 5.—Mrs. R. H. Hubbard was shot and instantly killed by two negroes at Ealine station on the Memphis & Charleston railroad, in Bibb county, to-day. Mr. Hubbard is a farmer, and had in his employ Alex Hill and Bud Hargrove. The negroes were discharged for indolence and some dispute over the amount due them. They went to the house and called for Mr. Hubbard, who was ill in bed. One report says Hubbard came to the door and was fired upon, one bullet striking his wife, and the other is that Mrs. Hubbard went to the door and was shot down. Mr. Hubbard hearing the shot came to the door and was seriously wounded.

Armed bodies are scouring the woods and a second Sam Hose affair is threatened. It is said Hill fired the fatal shot.

STAGE ROBBERS CAPTURED.

One of Them Turned Out to be a Woman Named Pearl Hart.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHOENIX, ARIZ., June 5.—The two robbers who held up the Globe and Florence stage last Tuesday, have been captured by Sheriff Trumann, of Pimaco, near Benson. One of them turned out to be a woman named Pearl Hart. She made a strong fight. Both were asleep with their guns behind them. When they were awakened the man seemed paralyzed with fright, but the woman, reaching for the guns, sprang to her feet and fought vigorously. All the money, about $350, three revolvers and a gold watch, taken from passengers on the stage, were recovered.

RIOTING IN BELFAST.

Police Unable to Disperse the Mob. Troops Called Out.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BELFAST, June 5.—Serious rioting occurred this evening. The mobs fusiladed the police with stones, and the troops were obliged to charge several times. Ultimately the riot act was read, and a force of fifty policemen batoned the crowd, but they were obliged to retire before a heavy shower of stones.

A public house was looted and much damage to property was done.

The police have made many arrests. Two officers were badly injured by flying stones.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

At Elizabeth City—Safe Dynamited and All Its Valuable Contents Taken.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., June 5.—The postoffice at Elizabeth City, N. C., was broken into by safe-crackers last night, the safe drilled and dynamite inserted. The explosion blew the door entirely off, blowing it across the room. People residing several blocks away heard the noise. The burglars secured one hundred and thirty dollars in money, several registered letters and a small amount of money belonging to Postmistress Jones. Everything points to professional work. The thieves left no clue to their identity.

BANKERS TO MEET.

Preparations in Raleigh for the Convention to Assemble To-morrow.

BAPTIST FEMALE UNIVERSITY

Faculty Elected—A. & M. College—Geo. T. Winston a Prominent Candidate for Presidency—A Crusade Against Houses of Ill Fame.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 5.

Much interest is being manifested in the bankers' convention which will meet here this week. It convene son Wednesday and will be in session three days. There will be a banquet at the Yarborough, a barbecue at Pullen's Park and a dance at the Capital Club. A dozen of the leading bankers of the State are on the programme for papers on financial subjects.

Mr. S. F. Mordeci, of this city, has, at the request of the bankers, written and had published a book on the new "Negotiable Instrument Law," passed by the last Legislature. It is said to be a very able work. It will be distributed among the bankers during the convention.

A. & M. College Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the A. & M. College here began last night with a sermon to the graduating class by Rev. A. J. McKelway, editor of the *Presbyterian Standard*, Charlotte. To-night an alumni banquet was given and an address delivered by Mr. S. E. Asbury, of Nashville, Tenn. To-morrow the annual address will be delivered by Mr. H. S. Hartzog, of South Carolina. Wednesday, the graduating exercises will be held.

A crusade has been begun here against houses of ill-fame. It is an effort to make them move from a very desirable residence portion of the city which has never been improved on account of their presence there. The occupants of the houses will be "invited" at the next term of court.

There are now two physicians at the penitentiary—Dr. Rogers, who was last September elected by the directors for a year, and Dr. McKee, who was on June 1st appointed by Capt. Day. As Dr. Rogers' time is not out and he has neither been removed nor has resigned, he will continue to discharge the duties of his office until the board of directors takes some action in the matter. Dr. McKee also daily visits the penitentiary and examines and prescribes for those that are sick. Dr. McKee's nomination must be ratified by the board before it will be valid.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

Faculty of Baptist Female University.

The faculty of the Baptist Female University was completed to-day by the election of Prof. Henri Appy, of Kansas Normal College, as musical director; Mrs. Appy, as teacher of vocal culture; Miss Lovie Lee Jones, of Raleigh, assistant in musical department, and Miss Hattie Farrier, of Goldsboro, teacher of stenography and typewriting.

The Raleigh Paper Mills property, at Falls of the Neuse, was sold at public auction to-day for $16,700.

Mrs. V. C. Ayer, mother of State Auditor Ayer, died here this morning.

Trustees of the A. & M. College met this afternoon and heard reports of the finance and reorganization committees and then adjourned. The election of president will not be reached before to-morrow afternoon or possibly Wednesday. To-night it is evident that Geo. T. Winston is the strongest candidate, though there is much talk of not electing anybody president now, but choosing a chairman of the faculty until some future day, when it is hoped the board can be unsnimous as to the president. Winston's friends are fighting this action.

AT FORT CASWELL.

Schooner Arrives With Seven 12-Inch Mortars for the Armament.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

SOUTHPORT, N. C., June 5.—The schooner Harald C. Belcher, from New York, arrived at Fort Caswell this afternoon. She has aboard seven 12-inch mortars, which complete the armament of the mortar battery at the fort. The mortars were made by the Bethlehem Iron Works, Bethlehem, Pa., and were tested at Sandy Hook proving grounds. Each gun weighs thirteen tons.

FITZSIMMONS AND JEFFRIES.

Preparations for the Big Fight at Coney Island Friday Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Fitzsimmons and Jeffries have finished all hard work in preparation for their big fight at the Coney Island Sporting Club Friday night. Their work from now to Wednesday will be of the lightest kind.

Although little attention has been paid to the training of the pugilists compared with that showered on the work of contestants in previous championship battles, both have put in weeks of hard conscientious training and are in good shape. Fitzsimmons claims to be as fit to fight a championship battle now as he ever was in his life.

Jeffries remarked to-day that "when the gong sounds on Friday night there is going to be trouble." He is of the opinion that one of his famous left hookers will settle the champion.

BASE BALL BULLETIN.

Scores of the Games Played by the Clubs Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Boston, 10; Cincinnati, 5.

Cleveland—Brooklyn, 14; Cleveland, 2.

Pittsburg—Philadelphia, 13; Pittsburg, 3.

Chicago—Baltimore, 4; Chicago, 9.

St. Louis—Washington, 11; St. Louis, 3.

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FIGHTING NEAR MANILA.

Town of Moroso Captured by the Washington Regiment With the Aid of Army Gunboats.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, June 5.—Two battalions of the Washington troops, under Colonel Woolley, on board cascoes, were towed from Pasig to Morong on Sunday and landed under cover of a well directed fire from the "tinclad" army gunboats Napidan and Cavadonga. The rebels, who were intrenched in the outskirts of the town, reserved their fire until the troops were ashore and in the open.

The American artillery opened fire on the insurgents and drove them from their positions, killing nine of them and wounding five. The Washington troops then took the town, the rebels fleeing to the hills.

While the Americans were on their way to Morong, the insurgents opened fire from a shore battery at Ancona, the first shots striking the Cavagonda at a range of 3,500 yards. The Napidan also was fired at.

THE PRISONER DREYFUS.

Cruiser Ordered to Devil's Island to Take Him to France.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

FORT DE FRANCE, ISLAND OF MARTINIQUE, June 5.—The admiral commanding the French squadron in these waters received yesterday an order to send the cruiser Sfax to take Dreyfus from Devil's Island, off the coast of French Guiana, and convey him to France. The Sfax, which is commanded by Captain Coffineres de Nordeck, left Devil's Island at 10 o'clock yesterday evening.

PARIS, June 5.—A dispatch from Cayenne, capital of French Guina says that Dreyfus was to-day (Monday) transferred to the military authorities. He will stay on Isle Royle until Tuesday, when he will embark upon the French second class cruiser Sfax, in the roads of Isle Royale, for home.

WARM WIRELETS.

Frank Thompson, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, died at his home in Marion, near Philadelphia, yesterday evening.

Gov. Tyler, of Virginia, will be unable to attend the encampment of Confederate veterans to be held at Glen Echo Park near Washington this week.

Gen. Otis advises the War Department that the Oregon regiment will leave Manila for the United States this week. It will be sent direct to Portland, Oregon.

Sherman M. Reese, assistant superintendent of the Ducktown Sulphur and Copper Works, Chattanooga, was shot from ambush and killed by unknown parties. Blood hounds were put on the trail last night.

George Fasi and Charli Fasi, Italians, who were arrested in Richmond for having counterfeit coin in their possession, were indicted in the United States Court at Norfolk, Va., yesterday.

Dr. J. P. Greene, president of the William Jewell College at Liberty, Mo., who was asked to accept the presidency of the Southern Baptist Seminary, at Louisville, Ky., has declined the offer.

The lower branch of the City Council of Richmond, Va., voted to grant the franchises for a union depot and its approaches, petitioned for by the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina railway.

The store and residence of Joseph Schenck, at Edwardsville, Pa., were destroyed by dynamite yesterday and Schenck, his wife and four children were slightly injured. The explosion was evidently the result of a purpose to kill the entire family.

Dr. W. E. Moore, one of the oldest and best known Presbyterian divines in the country, died yesterday from bronchitis, contracted at Minneapolis during the recent Presbyterian General Assembly of which body he was permanent clerk.

The case of General James A. Walker, charged with shooting lawyer W. S. Hamilton, was called in the Corporation Court of Bristol, Va., yesterday and defendant made a motion for change of venue, which will be passed upon to-day.

"Kid" McKoy, the pugilist, who has been recuperating on the Pacific coast since he was defeated last winter by Sharkey, arrived in Chicago yesterday en route to New York for the purpose of challenging the winner of the Fitzsimons-Jeffries fight Friday night.

R. R. Tolbert, who was made to leave Greenwood, S. C., six months ago, has returned without molestation A publication of his views on politics is supposed to have caused a change of feeling among his neighbors.

Gov. Sayres, of Texas, has telegraphed all the governors and attorney generals of the Southern States a call for an anti-trust convention to meet in St. Louis, September 20th, for the purpose of securing concerted action against trusts.

The Griffin, Ga., Rifles, called out to protect the jail from contemplated assaults of the "Regulators," have returned to ther homes. The "Regulators" had gathered with the intention of releasing some imprisoned comrades, but disappeared when the militia arrived.

Congressman David D. Henderson received further evidence of support last night for Speaker of the House in a message from General Henry Bingham of Pennsylvania, who notified him that thirteen Congressmen of that State were for him and that he might secure twenty.

The Democrats of the District of Columbia held an enthusiastic meeting last night, at which after many speeches eulogizing Bryan and endorsing him for the next President were made, there was forwarded to Mrs. William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, a fine marble bust of her husband, for presentation to her on her birthday, June 17th.

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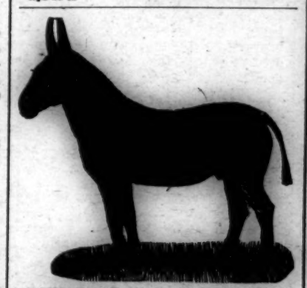

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Begin to draw interest at rate of FOUR PER CENT.

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